REMARKS

Claims 1-43 remain in the application for consideration of the Examiner.

Reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections are respectfully requested in light of the above amendments and following remarks.

Claims 1-43 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite.

By the instant amendment, Claims 1, 4-6, 10, 11, 15, 16, 22, 25, 26, 37, and 38 have been amended to take into consideration the helpful comments of the Examiner.

It is respectfully submitted that Claims 1-43 are in full compliance with 35 U.S.C. § 112 and particularly points out and distinctly claims the subject matter which Applicants regard as their invention.

Applicants appreciate the indication that if Claims 1-43 were rewritten to overcome the rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, that these claims would be allowable.

It is respectfully submitted that the rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, has been overcome and consequently, Claims 1-43 are allowable.

In light of the above, it is respectfully submitted that the present application is in condition for allowance, and notice to that effect is respectfully requested.

While it is believed that the instant response places the application in condition for allowance, should the Examiner have any further comments or suggestions, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner contact the undersigned in order to expeditiously resolve any outstanding issues.

To the extent necessary, Applicant petitions for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136. Please charge any fees in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to the deposit account of Texas Instruments Incorporated, Account No. 20-0668.

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